NORTHCOTT TO DIE BY HANGING TODAY

Refuses to Admit to Mothers That He Really Killed Children.

By the Associated Press.

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., October 2 (AP).—Gordon Stewart Northcott, 23, convicted of murdering three boys on his Wineville, Calif., chicken ranch, was hanged at State's prison here at 10:09 a.m. today.

Northcott was led into the death chamber at 10:06 o'clock and three minutes later plunged through the trap. He collapsed as he was led from the death cell and was supported by two guards.

For the first time in the history of the prison a condemned man was brought into the room blindfolded.

Some 140 persons witnessed the execution.

SAN QUENTIN, Calif, October 2.—Gordon Stewart Northcott prepared to die on the gallows here today after having granted an eleventh-hour interview to the mothers of three boys whom he allegedly mistreated and murdered on his ranch near Riverside, Calif., two years ago.

Mrs. Christine Collins of Los Angeles and Mrs. Nelson Winslow of Pomona, mothers of the three youths named as Northcott's victims, visited him in the death cell late last night in the hope of learning definitely whether their sons were killed on the Wineville "murder farm" two years ago.

Writes Three Letters.

Except for the finding of bones in shallow graves on the ranch, the deaths of Walter Collins and of Louis and Nelson Winslow, brothers, never were indisputably established.

After having written three letters—one each to his mother and father and one to his spiritual adviser—Northcott received the two women late last night. He still refused to admit slaying the youths, but said his mother, Mrs. Sarah Louisa Northcott, and his nephew, 15-year-old Sanford Clark, knew all about the boys. He said, however, their bodies had been buried on the ranch. Mrs. Northcott pleaded guilty to a charge of murdering the Collins boy and is serving a life sentence here. Since her imprisonment, however, she has insisted she did not kill young Collins, but pleaded guilty to the charge in the hope of saving her son from the gallows.

Asked for details concerning the burial of three youths, Northcott told Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Winslow to question Mrs. Northcott and young Clark.

The investigation which uncovered Northcott's alleged crimes began August 31, 1928, when his niece, Jessie Clark, asked immigration authorities to deport her brother, Sanford Clark, to Canada. Northcott fled to Canada after officers visited the ranch.

Young Clark told authorities Northcott had abused and slain three boys. Officers visited the ranch and found shallow graves containing bones and quicklime.

Mexican Was Slain.

The murder of a Mexican youth whose decapitated body had been found at Puente, Calif., several weeks previously also was laid to Northcott.

Northcott finally was arrested near Vernon, British Columbia, and his mother later was found at Calgary, Alberta. Both were returned to Riverside, Calif., to face murder charges. On the way to Southern California Northcott confessed the slayings, but later repudiated the confession.

Tried for the slaying of the Mexican youth and Louis and Nelson Winslow, Northcott dismissed his attorney during his trial and took charge of the case himself. He was convicted and sentenced to death, after which he waged an unsuccessful fight in appealing the case.

Railways of Finland are adopting the policy of building motor roads in new territory instead of extending their lines there.

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Florence Crittenton Home Will Give Supper and Explain Work Monday Evening.

Following its policy of acquainting the members with the various organizations of the Community Chest, the Key Men's Klub of the Chest, which is composed of the "key men" in the group solicitation unit, will visit the Florence Crittenton Home, on Conduit road, next Monday evening.

The institution, which cares for unmarried mothers and their children, is regarded as one of the best-managed homes of its kind in the United States. The club members will be entertained at supper and taken through the buildings by Miss Joan S. Cole, the superintendent, who will explain the work.

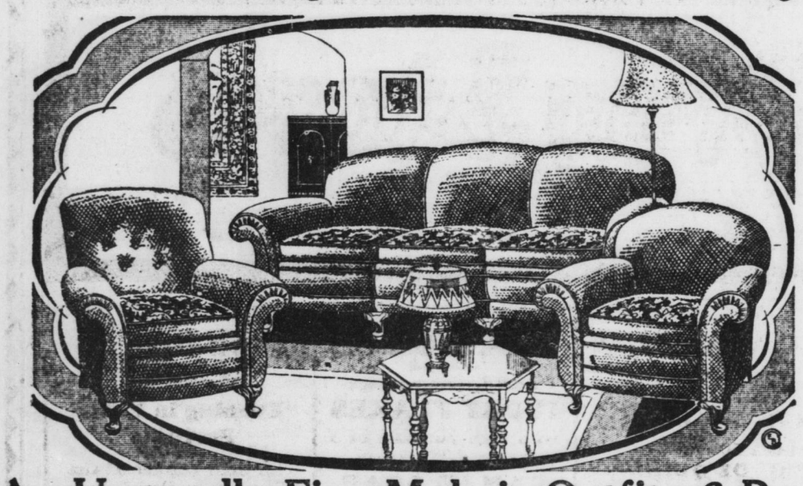
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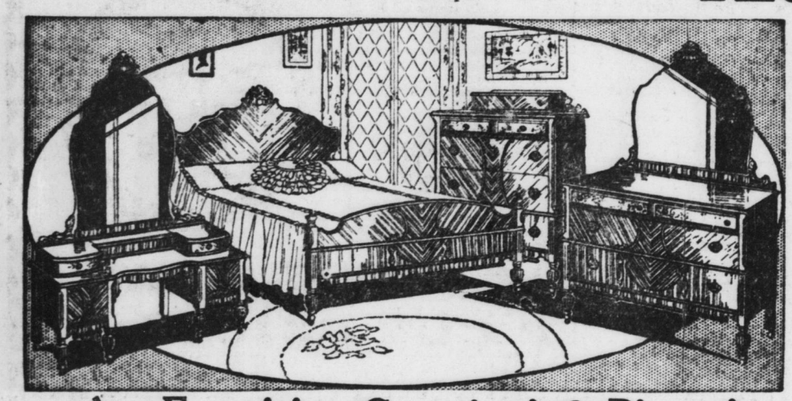
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